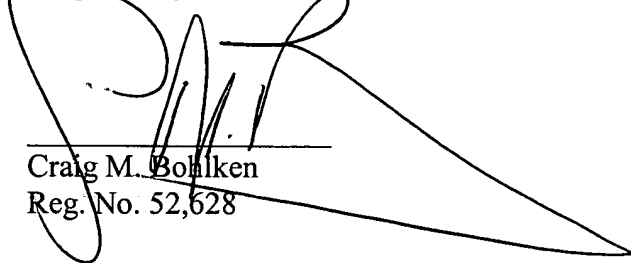


REMARKS

Claims 64-69 and 80 are pending in the instant application. The Examiner has required restriction indicating that there are eleven distinct inventions.

In response, Applicant elects, without traverse, to prosecute the claims in Group VII. This election is made without prejudice to the ability of Applicant to file divisional applications to non-elected species. Additionally, Applicant will cancel non-elected claims when a Notice of Allowability of the elected claims is received.

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